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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a two-month extension of time be granted to respond to the Office Action dated March 18, 2004. The requisite fee of \$420.00 set forth in §1.17(a)(2) of the Rules of Practice is submitted herewith. If fees are not sufficient, please deduct from our Deposit Account No. 18-1167.

Respectfully submitted,

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